

TECHNE CORP /MN/  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
STEER RANDOLPH C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TECHNE CORP /MN/ [TECH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

614 MCKINLEY PLACE NE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/13/2013

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	Price			
Common Stock	11/13/2013		M		5,000	\$ 66.59	A	6,000	D
Common Stock	11/13/2013		M		5,000	\$ 65.47	A	11,000	D
Common Stock	11/13/2013		M		5,000	\$ 63.03	A	16,000	D
Common Stock	11/13/2013		S		15,000	\$ 86.2	D	1,000	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 66.59	11/13/2013		M	5,000	10/25/2007 10/24/2017	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 65.47	11/13/2013		M	5,000	10/23/2008 10/22/2018	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 63.03	11/13/2013		M	5,000	10/29/2009 10/28/2019	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 87.39					10/31/2013 10/30/2023	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Option	\$ 66.9					10/25/2012 10/24/2022	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 70.35					10/27/2011 10/26/2021	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Option	\$ 61.46					10/28/2010 10/27/2020	Common Stock	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
STEER RANDOLPH C 614 MCKINLEY PLACE NE MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55413	X			

## Signatures

Randolph C.  
Steer 11/15/2013

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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